



A M E S by the grace of God King of England, Scotland, France
and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, &c. To the
in Our Countie of

and to euery of them greeting. Wee will and command you,
that you warne and cause to come xxiiij. honest lawfull and dis-
creet men of your said before the

Clerke of the Market of Our Houshold, and throughout Our Realme of England,
or before his lawfull Deputy or Deputies for Our said County of
and euery part thereof as well within Liberties as without, to appeare at

vpou being the day of next comming
by eight of the clocke in the forenoone of the same day, then and there to heare and
doe vpon their seuerall oathes, as they and euery of them shalbe for Vs and on Our
behalfes required, according to the Lawes and Statutes of Our Realme: And more-
ouer that you send your Precepts according to the tenour hereof to all your petty-
Constables or Tithingmen of euery Parish and Hamlet within your said

thereby commanding them to informe themselves what Weights or
Measures are kept or vsed within their seuerall Constableries, and that they specially
warne all Millers, Bakers, Brewers, Inholders, Vintners, Mercers, Grocers, Drapers,
Alehouse-keepers, Butchers, Chandlers, Smithes, Weauers, Farmers, Malsters, Tai-
lers, Glouers, Clothiers, Clothworkers, Fullers, and generally all Artificers, Trade-
men, or any other person or persons whatsoever within their Constableries or Ti-
things, that vseth or hath any Weights or Measures whatsoever sealed or not sealed,
to bring or send their said Weights and Measures at the day and place aforesaid, to
be duely examined with Our Standard; And also that they require the Bakers and
Vicuallers to bring thither with them their Bread of all sorts, to be tryed whether
the true Assize be kept therein; And that the said Constables or Tithing-men doe
bring thither and present to Our said Clerke of the Market or to his Deputie faire
written and fixed to Our Precept, as their returne thereof, a true note of the names
of the Parish or Hamlet whereof they are Officers, and the name of the Parish where-
of the Hamlet is a part, with the true names, surnames and additions of all the per-
sons appointed to be summoned by them as aforesaid, And withall a note of all the
Weights and Measures which euery or any man vseth or hath, and your selfe or selues
to be then and there present and attendant, and to make a due returne of this Our
Command and Precept; Indorsing thereupon the true names of all the Parishes and
Hamlets whereof you haue summoned the Officers to appeare, together with the
said Officers names: And moreover that you giue notice to such Our Iustices of
Peace within or next adioyning to your that they may be pre-
sent to see the due execution of this Our Service, according to the intent of Our
late Proclamation on this behalfe: And hereof faile not as you will answere the
contrary at your perill. Dated vnder the Seale of the Office aforesaid the
day of in the yere of Our Reigne of England, France
and Ireland, and of Scotland the